

MINUTES OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING, MAY 4, 1982

The regular Oconee County Council Meeting was held May 4, 1982 at 7:00 P.M. in Council Chambers with all members present.

Members of the press present: Cobb Oxford - Seneca Journal, Steve Matthews - Greenville News & Ashton Hester - Keowee Courier.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor-Chairman Crain who welcomed the guests and media.

The invocation was given by Mr. Williams.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 5 - 0 to adopt the minutes of the April 20, 1982 meeting.

First on the agenda was a request from Duke Power Company that they be granted Power of Attorney in representing Oconee County in the meetings between DHEC & IRS concerning the issuance of bonds for pollution control devices.

After much discussion Mr. Brandt made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 that Duke Power be granted this Power of Attorney.

Mr. Medford gave an update on the reassessment program. In his presentation he stated that although they were about four or five weeks behind in the field work they would have this completed by June 30, 1982. He asked for an extension of the field workers until July 30, 1982. The field work has been completed except for the Utica area and some subdivisions in that area. However, he did assure the Council the reassessment would be complete and on the 1982 tax notices.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Brandt, approved 5 - 0 to adopt Resolution 82-6, "Industrial Revenue Bonds for Fairfield Mfg. Co."

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Brandt, approved 5 - 0 to adopt Ordinance 82-4 in title only on first reading.

Mr. Sam Rochester addressed Council on having to pay penalty on a tax notice which had been sent out but they did not receive until after the penalty had gone on. Mr. Crain referred this to committee.

Mr. Williams made a motion, that Ordinance 82-2, "Supplemental Appropriations" be adopted on third and final reading, this motion was seconded by Dr. Earle and approved 5 - 0.

Dr. Earle made a motion that Ordinance 82-3, "Ratifying Ordinance 81-12, Reapportionment" be adopted on third and final reading, this motion was seconded by Mr. Butts and approved 5 - 0.

Dr. Earle made a motion that American Life Insurance Co. be permitted to talk with County employees about an insurance policy and that American Life also pay the cost for setting up the computer to handle any deductions from county payroll

checks. This motion was seconded by Mr. Williams.

After considerable discussion Mr. Butts made a motion to table this motion. This motion was seconded by Mr. Brandt and approved 5 - 0.

Dr. Earle made a motion that \$320.00 be taken from contingency to pay Wildlife Fees for the Magistrates Office. This money had mistakenly been deposited in General Funds. This motion was seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 5 - 0.

Upon motion made by Dr. Earle, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 the following Commission Members were appointed to terms that expire December 31, 1985:

Tom Ramsey	Arts & Historical Commission
Jim Prince	Planning & Development Commission
C. Lee Barrett	Health & Sanitation Commission
Lynn Norton	Health & Sanitation Commission (Ex-Officio)
Marcus Rogers	Sewer Commission

Dr. Earle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 to take \$1,213.56 from contingency and pay the South Carolina Retirement to establish non member service for Ms. Lois Douberly from April 1, 1964 through June 20, 1966.

Mr. Harper made a motion, seconded by Mr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 to accept the low bid from Modern Office Machines for a copying machine for the Public Service Building. This bid is \$6,234.80 including tax.

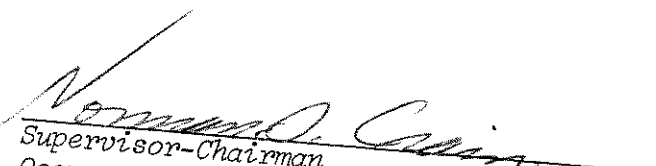
Mr. Harper made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 to accept the low bid from The Communication Service Center at \$9,798.96 for maintenance on the county's radio equipment.

Mr. Steve Geddes presented the proposed 1982-83 budget for the Sewer Commission to Council. This was accepted as information and turned over to the Budget Committee.

Mr. Geddes also presented the contract from Golder Associated to repair the clarifiers at the Coneross Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The County Attorney had approved this contract and it was accepted unanimously by Council.

Adjourn 8:35 P.M.


Supervisor-Chairman
Oconee County